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This book is designed for forest nursery planning and management by all levels of forestry professionals and non-professionals in India and abroad, and focuses on the preparation of high quality, healthy seedlings necessary for successful afforestation programs. The book is divided into five parts that discuss: (1) details of nursery preparations from site selection to preparation of beds; (2) details of various methods of seed collection, quantity of seed calculations and standardization; (3) different methods of seed pre-treatment and seed sowing techniques; (4) latest techniques for raising nursery stock through vegetative cuttings; and (5) details nursery seedling management. (LZ)

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